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SPRING CAMPS, CARNIVALS, AND EGG HUNTS

Activities and events for kids on school vacation, and their families

LOS ANGELES – During the period of April 3-11, 2009, the City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks will offer a variety of activities, events, and programs for children who are on vacation from school to enjoy, with some that are also for families.

Spring day camp will take place Monday through Friday, April 6-10, while on the two weekends (Friday through Sunday, April 3-5, and Friday and Saturday, April 10-11) there will be carnivals, visits from the Easter Bunny, egg hunts and coloring contests, arts & crafts, and more. Most Department facilities will have their holiday program on April 11.

Not only will many Recreation and Parks sites have a lot of things for children to do while they're on spring break, youngsters who aren't old enough to go to school will be able to participate in some of the activities being offered.

Spring day camps have a fee and signup requirements. The times, cost (if any, and some are free), and registration conditions (if any, with the majority being open) for other events will vary depending on the location; dozens of recreation centers and parks citywide will have activities, although not on all nine days.

Information about activities is available at www.laparks.org (select Spring Celebration under News and Events on the home page, **OR** Activities & Events, April-June, 2009 and search for **camp**). Residents without Internet access can call the Public Information Office for assistance at (213) 202-2700.

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